

advancement of the bill.

SENATOR HIGGINS: I would ask that the body return the bill to Final Reading.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. Do you have anything further on the bill, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, LB 446, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, 446 is on Select File. The first item I have are Enrollment and Review amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hall, would you do that, please.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I'd move the E & R amendments be adopted.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted. Anything further?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senators Hall, Labedz and Hefner would move to amend the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hall, please.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, members, this is an amendment that is found I think on page 1496 of the Journal and it has also been passed out on your desk. It is basically a redraft of the amendment that I offered when the bill was on General File. It is the amendment that includes the intent of Senator Hefner's amendment which was stricken by my amendment. Basically, all it does is spell out a little more clearly the fact that any future changes that are made to the benefit table will be enacted on the following January 1 of the year thereafter. Could I get a hammer, Mr. President?

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) Could we please have the conversation down so we can hear the speakers. Thank you. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. President. It is a very simple amendment. It is basically a clarifying amendment. There were some who felt, bill drafters and a couple other individuals, who